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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants: K. SAKAMOTO, et al

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For: VPN COMPOSING METHOD, INTERWORK ROUTER, PACKET  
COMMUNICATION METHOD, DATA COMMUNICATION  
APPARATUS, AND PACKET RELAYING APPARATUS

Group: 2662

Examiner: D. Levitan

**PROPOSED DRAWING CORRECTIONS/REPLACEMENT SHEETS**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

January 11, 2005

Sir:

It is proposed that the drawings in the above-identified application be amended in accordance with the attached red-lined prints. Approval of the same is respectfully requested at this time.

Upon receipt of the official Notice of Allowance, the drawings will be corrected in accordance with the procedure established therefor.

Respectfully submitted,

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Attachments  
703/684-1120

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